

JULY 1, 2015 MEETING OF RESIDENT COUNCIL

COPPER LAKE ESTATES

SUBMITTED JULY 2, 2015

Meeting was called to order by Council Chairwoman Willa Hill at 10:00 AM with **nine** members present. **The** minutes of the last meeting held on June 3, 2015 had been passed out to Council members prior to this meeting. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Sue Cooper and seconded by Mary Land. Minutes were approved.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Activities Committee Report: **Activities Chairwoman, Mary Land** read the Activity Report which follows.

JUNE

Champagne Jam Performance – We had a great performance during Happy Hour.

Parking Lot Safety – The Police Department came and shared helpful tips on how to keep you safe in parking lots. This was a really good and informational class. **White**

Elephant Bingo – The bingo players are enjoying White Elephant Bingo. If you have items that you would like to donate, please see Betty Manning. **Walker/Wheelchair**

Clinic – Lindsay Medical Supply was here to adjust walkers and wheelchairs. We will have them come out every other month to check our items to be sure they are in good condition and working order. **Theme Month:** June is going to the Dogs! We had many activities involving the theme, “dogs”. We had Senior Dog Care, Doggie First Aid, made Tasty Doggie Treats, visited the Humane Society, had a Doggie Fashion Show and the main event was Dog Days of Summer!. It was an exciting month of FUN, exploring and learning.

JULY

Canada Day – We will have our Celebrating Canada’s birthday on July 1. **4th of July** - We are going to Edmond’s annual 4th of July parade and for lunch the kitchen is cooking hot dogs and hamburgers and we will have Dale Wehba as our DJ providing

FOOD COMMITTEE – JEAN KIRK

Recent good meals: Taco bar, could have this more often; chicken fried chicken; beans and cornbread; cobbler; pecan pie; egg strata; peanut butter swirl brownies; cheese enchiladas; lasagna and shrimp.

Not so good meals: Too many carrots in everything; onion rings too greasy; pancakes too thick and not cooked through; oatmeal too thick or too runny; turkey casserole had no turkey; serving sizes too big not giving ½ orders when asked for; soup and salad served same time as entrée; strawberry pie was like jello in undercooked crust; Reuben too hard on one side and soggy on the other. Still running out of food at 3rd seating and food is cold. Thomas also said he has \$6.00 per person per day. The food served at High Stakes Bingo and Happy Hour take away from the meals for residents and a lot of food is wasted particularly from the High Stakes Bingo. This has been discussed with Kendra and the food at the Bingo will be discontinued. Bananas – Try to keep enough on hand, some taking 2 or 3. This happens because they know there may not be anymore that week; Have more fried okra, asparagus, and beets. Cheryl Stratton spoke of the food she had at Bradford Village Rehab. Said it was good quality meat and no fried foods. Thomas explained they had menus to go by and said he tries to balance it out with fried fish, baked chicken. He tries to balance so all can have their choice. He was asked about a pastry cook and he said they were short handed so all cooks were doing all things; it was mentioned that some residents would like to have tablecloths on Sunday in the Dining Room.

Dylan was complimented on wearing the Vest. It looks really nice. Food as a whole is much better; service has improved BUT still need to take orders from one or two tables and then serve everyone at those tables at the same time; they are doing much better putting plates under carafes. Cooks put food on the plates, servers are responsible for serving to each table. Overall things are improving and hope this will continue.

NEW BUSINESS

The names put forth to Kendra for Person of the Month are Katie Beene, Carolyn Solomon, Nila Denney and Helen Walker.